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In re application of: Shimkets, R. A.
and Lowe, D. G.

Application No.: 09/888,358

Filed: June 22, 2001

For: CGI-69 COMPOSITIONS AND
METHODS OF USE

Examiner: Sally A. Sakelaris
Group Art Unit: 1634

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated February 10, 2003 for a period of three months.

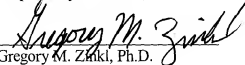
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